

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 1 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--SOAP (Simple Object Access Protocol) is a proposed W3C standard for remote data exchange with XML. The present invention identifies the use of a specific file transfer mechanism, such as SOAP, with its request/response messaging capabilities. Information about the SOAP 1.1 Specification is available at <http://xml.apache.org/soap/index.html> [apache.org/soap/index.html](http://apache.org/soap/index.html).--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 21 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--XML (eXtensible Markup Language) is an intermediate level in between SGML (Standard General Markup Language) and HTML (HyperText Markup Language). It allows users to create custom tags, unlike HTML that limits the user to a set of predefined tags. This is the strength of XML that allows users to describe data in an open, yet uniform format. Information about the XML 1.0 Specification is available at <http://www.w3.org/XML/> [www.w3.org/XML/](http://www.w3.org/XML/).--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 12, line 29 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--**Data Transport** Under the preferred embodiment, clients use the HyperText Transport Protocol (HTTP) to communicate to a server. Information about HTTP/1.1 is available at <http://www.cis.ohio-state.edu/htbin/rfc/rfc2616.html> [www.cis.ohiostate.edu/htbin/rfc/rfc2616.html](http://www.cis.ohiostate.edu/htbin/rfc/rfc2616.html). The World Wide Web throughout uses the same HTTP protocol. In principle, a fulfillment system can use any off-the-shelf web server to implement its support for the present invention. To communicate over the Internet, the client must establish an Internet or Intranet connection. This connection can be a dial-up Point-to-Point Protocol (PPP) connection to an Internet Service Provider (ISP) or a connection over a local area network that has a gateway to the Internet or a simple Intranet. Clients use SOAP-based messages over HTTP to communicate to a fulfillment system server. Clients use the SOAP client to send a request to the previously acquired Uniform Resource Locator (URL) for the desired

fulfillment system. The URL identifies the SOAP request dispatching servlet on a server that can accept requests, process the request and produce a response. The POST identifies the data type. Other fields should be filled as per the SOAP specification.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 16, line 3 with the following rewritten paragraph:

**AreICCProfilesSupported request and response** Clients can query various products and features available at a fulfillment system. ICCProfiles is one of the features that a client might want to query and this is done via the AreICCProfilesSupported() request. ICCProfiles represents the color space information for an image. AreICCProfilesSupported() should allow clients to query the server to know if a fulfillment system supports ICC Profiles.. The clients query the server to know if it supports ICCProfiles, and the server retrieves the information about support for ICC profiles and returns it to the client. Information about the ICC Profiles specification is available at <http://www.color.org/ICC-1-1998-09.PDF> [www.color.org/ICC1\\_1998\\_09.pdf](http://www.color.org/ICC1_1998_09.pdf)